

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
DODGE COUNTY, WI
STH 33 – GOLD STAR MEMORIAL TRAIL
DODGE COUNTY RFB # 82 2026-05
WISDOT PROJECT 1411-00-71

The Dodge County Land Resources and Parks Department is accepting bids for Project 1411-00-71, STH 33 – Gold Star Memorial Trail located along STH 33 from the Wild Goose State Trail to the City of Horicon. Information and Bidding Documents for the Project are available online at Dodge County's website and DemandStar at: www.demandstar.com.

All Contractors are responsible for addendums. Bids are to be sent to the Dodge County Clerk's Office 127 E Oak St., Juneau, WI 53039 no later than 10 AM on July 13, 2026. Submit in a sealed envelope marked "RFB # 82 2026-05 - Gold Star Memorial Trail". After the official bid closing time, the bids will be opened and read aloud at an in-person public bid opening that will be held at the day and time of the bid closing at the Dodge County Administration Building (127 E Oak St., Juneau, WI 53039) Conference Room 3A. Late receipts, e-mails, and facsimiles will not be accepted.

The Project includes the following Work: Erosion control, grading, culvert work, base aggregate dense, boardwalks, concrete curb ramps, asphalt pavement, permanent signing, pavement marking, restoration, finishing items, and all incidental items necessary to complete the work as shown on the plans and included in the proposal and contract.

The anticipated substantial completion date is June 30, 2027 and final completion date is October 29, 2027.

No proposal will be accepted unless accompanied by Bid security made payable to Owner in an amount of 5% of Bidder's maximum Bid price and in the form of a certified check or cashier's check. If after 15 days from the date the contract was awarded, the bidder shall fail to execute and file the proper contract and bond, the bid bond shall be forfeited to the Owner as liquidated damages.

No bidder may withdraw their bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

To demonstrate Bidder's qualifications to perform the Work, Bidder must be listed on the current version of the Wisconsin Department of Transportation Prequalified Contractor's list (<https://wisconsin.gov/hccidocs/prequal.pdf>). The prequal certification on the list must be unexpired.

A statement of Affirmative Action is required per form FHWA 1273 under II.1.b. The contractor will accept as his operating policy the following statement: "It is the policy of this Company to assure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, religion, sex, color, national origin, age or disability. Such action shall include: employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment, or recruitment advertising; layoff termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection of training, including apprenticeship, pre-apprenticeship, and/or on the job training.

An Affidavit of Non-Collusion is required to be filed with the bid stating the following: "This certifies that the undersigned bidder, duly sworn, is an authorized representative of the firm named above; that the bidder has examined and carefully prepared the bid from the plans and specifications and has checked the same in detail before submitting this proposal or bid; and that the bidder or

agents, officer, or employees have not, directly or indirectly, entered into an agreement, participating in any collusion, or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this proposal.

Commitment to prime contractor performance of at least 30 percent of the original contract amount is required.

DBE requirements of Wis DOT 49 CFR part 23 for this project is Discretionary. All required documentation shall be submitted at the bid opening.

The project is federally funded in part by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation – Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP). Federal Wage Rates apply.

The minimum wages to be paid on the project shall be in accordance with the wage rate scale established by Federal Davis Bacon Wage Rates. Federal wage rates can be found at <https://sam.gov/wage-determinations>. Be aware that project Administrators, Bidders, and Contractors are required to use the latest federal wage rate available at the time of bid opening.

Dodge County reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids. Furthermore, Dodge County reserves the right to cancel any order or contract for failure of the successful Contractor to comply with the terms, conditions and specifications of the request and/or contract. Dodge County reserves the right to award this request to the Contractor whose bid is overall the most advantageous to the County in the County's sole determination.

Contact the Dodge County Finance Department Purchasing Office at (920) 386-4224 if assistance is required.

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